

**Re: Fw: Sunnyside Gold, Silverton**

**Bill Murray** to: Martin Hestmark

06/07/2012 08:48 AM

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If there is any way that we can allow state participation, it would be good. If they are excluded, it will likely lead to some blowback, as they see themselves as equal partners in this collaboration.

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Martin Hestmark---06/07/2012 08:34:21 AM---Thoughts on BLM and State participation? I'm thinking maybe BLM.... From: Michael Holmes/R8/USEPA/US

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Michael Holmes---06/05/2012 03:42:25 PM---Sunnyside requesting to meet on the legal framework could be tied to their technical presentation on

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Sunnyside requesting to meet on the legal framework could be tied to their technical presentation on the Alternative Analysis. They originally wanted to present their consultants findings metal loading and potential remedies in March, than it was May and now they have announced they will present at the July ARSG meeting. Could be they realize it is more complex, including the Animas River load above Cement Creek, and more costly, so they could be moving toward accepting settlement w/ CERCLA may have to happen.

Should we include BLM and the State in our Aug. 1 meeting w/ Sunnyside?

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Martin Hestmark---06/04/2012 07:13:49 AM---I responded inquiring whether he had more specifics than "steps going forward". Can we get together

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I responded inquiring whether he had more specifics than "steps going forward". Can we get together and discuss soon? Does anyone have any specific insight into there interest?

----- Forwarded by Martin Hestmark/R8/USEPA/US on 06/04/2012 07:12 AM -----

From: Greg Etter <Greg.Etter@Kinross.com>  
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Martin:

I have been travelling and will be out of the Office the great bulk of today, so I thought that I would check in with you concerning my prior voicemail suggesting a meeting to discuss the conceptual legal framework for our collaborative efforts with respect to the Animas in the Silverton area. Please let me know your thoughts, or when we might discuss.

Thanks and regards.

Greg

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